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MUSCLE CONSTRUCT**

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111  
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed March 1, 2006, thereby extending the time period within which to respond to July 1, 2006.

In response to the Office Action mailed March 1, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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